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How to show you want a **Brexit deal** delivered as soon as possible



South East



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The only party which can get Brexit done is the Conservative Party

On 23 May, elections to the European Parliament take place. We didn't want these elections, but Parliament has not yet approved a Brexit deal. The only way to avoid holding them is to back a deal and get on with Brexit. **And your vote can show that you want a Brexit deal delivered as soon as possible.**

Theresa May is working tirelessly to pass a workable deal which:

- ✓ **takes back control of our money, laws and borders**
- ✓ **leaves the Common Fisheries Policy and the Common Agricultural Policy**
- ✓ **protects jobs, security, and our United Kingdom**

Being the largest party in Parliament, the Conservatives are the only party that can actually make Brexit happen, and are **committed to seriously and responsibly delivering it.**

Other parties want to stop Brexit – or would rather shout from the sidelines than work to get it done in the national interest.

"At this critical moment for our country, parties should not be playing politics – or acting for their own personal gain.

We need to come together, stay the course, and deliver Brexit in the national interest.

I am determined to do that and get Brexit done, so that we can focus on our future.

A vote for the Conservatives on 23 May is a vote to leave the EU with a deal as soon as possible."

Theresa May, Prime Minister



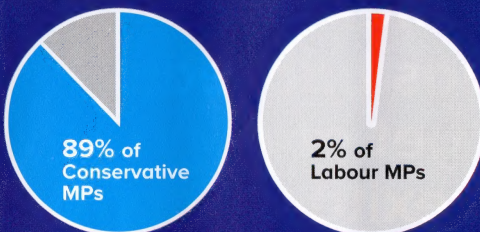
What these European elections could mean for the UK

If people who want to see a Brexit deal delivered do not vote Conservative on 23 May, that will split the vote and could mean...

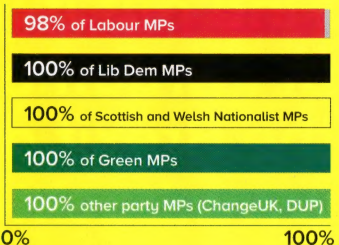
- 1. Jeremy Corbyn** and Labour topping the poll – giving Corbyn a boost and taking him a step closer to Downing Street.
- 2.** Parties which want to **re-run the referendum** using the result to claim that the British people don't really want to leave – risking more delay, division and uncertainty.
- 3. Nigel Farage** and other parties which are standing for personal gain just getting more publicity – but not actually getting us closer to delivering a deal and getting Brexit done.

Parliament has come close to backing a Brexit deal. **By voting Conservative on 23 May, you can show that you want a Brexit deal delivered as soon as possible.**

Who's backed the Brexit deal so far?



Who's blocking it?



Source: House of Commons

Why are these elections happening?

The UK voted to leave the European Union in the referendum three years ago, but Parliament has still not backed a deal to deliver on that. Unless it backs a deal before Thursday 23 May, the law says we need to take part in elections to the European Parliament on that date.

How can these elections be stopped?

If a majority of Members of Parliament (MPs) back a deal in time, we could cancel the elections and get on with leaving the European Union – and all the other important issues facing our country.

Which MPs are preventing the deal from being done?

Almost 90% of Conservative MPs have voted to support a deal, plus 5 Labour MPs and 4 Independents – but that is not enough for a majority in the House of Commons. For a deal to pass, it needs the support of more than half of all MPs.

How can I tell my political representatives to get on with it?

If the European elections take place on 23 May, the only party which supports leaving the EU with a deal as soon as possible is the Conservative Party.

Find out if your Member of Parliament has backed the Brexit deal yet at www.backthebrexitdeal.com